

# FREAR'S MESSAGE

HAVE ANOTHER VISITING PARTY OF CONGRESSMEN.  
PRIMARY LAW A USEFUL EXPERIMENT.  
PRONOUNCED CHANGE IN LEPROSY POLICY.  
THE INCREASE IN SCHOOL ATTENDANCE.  
BONDED DEBT NOW FOUR MILLIONS.  
HONOLULU TO HAVE BIG LIBRARY.  
THE PROBLEM OF HONOLULU WATER SUPPLY.  
LAND EXCHANGE SYSTEM UNDESIRABLE.  
"THE TERRITORY IS UNDERPOPULATED."  
ASSIST "SMALL FARMERS" TO A MARKET.  
NO MORE SETTLEMENT ASSOCIATIONS.  
LEAVE PROSECUTIONS TO COUNTY ATTORNEYS.  
APPEALS BY PROSECUTION IN CRIMINAL CASES.  
PROVIDE FOR INDETERMINATE SENTENCES.  
REFORM SCHOOL PROCEEDINGS NON-CRIMINAL.  
CUT JUDICIARY DEPARTMENT EXPENSES.  
TAX JURORS' FEES AS COSTS.  
ASSIST THE NATIONAL GUARD.

Territory of Hawaii, Executive Chamber, Honolulu, February 17, 1909.  
To the Legislature:  
The last two years have been marked by unusual prosperity and progress. Crops and prices of the main industry have been good. Minor industries have multiplied and grown. Congress has legislated liberally for Hawaii. Prospects are favorable.  
VISITS OF CONGRESSMEN.  
The provision made for the purpose by the last legislature resulted in highly satisfactory visits from many Members of Congress. The Territory has been favored also with visits by two members of the President's Cabinet and the Director of the Reclamation Service. No more effectual way can be devised for obtaining due consideration in Washington than by having Members of Congress and prominent executive officers come and see for themselves. An appropriation is recommended of larger amount than that of two years ago, to cover entertainment and expenses of executive officers and other distinguished persons as well as congressmen.  
ALASKA-YUKON-PACIFIC EXPOSITION.  
This will open at Seattle on the first of next June. The National Government has been favored also with visits by two members of the President's Cabinet.

# A FLORAL DAY SUGGESTION

Honolulu, T. H., Feb. 15, 1909.  
EDITOR HAWAIIAN STAR:  
Dear Sir—After the parade on Lincoln's Birthday, February 12, I thought of a good plan, which would be a novelty and in accord with the floral parade, as follows:  
To use the same grand stand for children, but have children in the upper left hand corner in blue with white flowered stars on their heads, then a line with red flowers or paper, then the next line with white continued down the line would give it the appearance of the American flag, and the constant moving of the children would give it the appearance of it waving.  
A MARINE.

## Pamphlets will Soon be Ready

Owing to the great demand for "Hawaiian Securities," a pamphlet of full and valuable information concerning every firm and corporation listed on the Stock Exchange, it has been found necessary to print a much larger edition.  
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## Walk-Over

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## NAVY BILL IS PASSED

(Associated Press Cable to The Star.)  
WASHINGTON, D. C., February 17.—The Senate has passed the naval appropriation bill.

## BIG CHIEF GOES OUT

(Associated Press Cable to The Star.)  
YAWTON, Oklahoma, Feb. 17.—Geronimo, the famous Apache Indian chief who was the head of his tribe and at frequent intervals a trouble to the government, is dead.

## YANKTON AT NORFOLK

(Associated Press Cable to The Star.)  
NORFOLK, February 17.—U. S. Naval tender Yankton has arrived at this port.

## TARIFF REVISION

WASHINGTON, D. C., February 17.—An extra session of Congress to consider tariff legislation will open on March 15.

## PULITZER INDICTED

WASHINGTON, D. C., February 17.—Pulitzer, owner, manager and editor of the New York World and the editor of the Indianapolis News have been indicted for libel alleged to lie in charges made by those papers against the Panama administration.

## SMYRNA SHAKEN

SMYRNA, February 17.—An earthquake was experienced here today, much damage to property resulting.

## ANOTHER TEMBLOR

SAN JUAN, February 17.—A heavy earthquake was experienced here this morning.

SAN FRANCISCO, February 17.—Ex-Supervisor Coffey has been convicted of accepting a bribe of \$4,000 from the trolley interests.

TEHERAN, February 17.—An earthquake occurred on January 23 in Western Persia, destroying sixty villages and killing five thousand people.

WASHINGTON, D. C., February 17.—A message to Congress from the President endorses the report of the Panama canal engineers which approves a lock canal.

K. YAMAMOTO.  
Wholesale Merchant on Hotel street has received the largest consignment of Japanese goods which he is disposing of at very reasonable prices. Mr. K. Yamamoto is always the first man to import the first crop of goods from Japan, and we can promise the best of treatment from this popular merchant.

LAST DAYS OF SALE.  
Thursday, Friday and Saturday are the last days of the after stock-taking sale at Sachs'.

The trim barkentine Irmgard, Captain Christiansen, sailed at almost exactly 10 o'clock this morning for the Golden Gate, taking 15,563 bags of sugar, consigned by F. A. Schaefer & Co. Mrs. S. S. Paxson sailed in her as a passenger.

Quality watches can be had from H. Culman, Fort near Hotel. Quality watches that are perfect and reasonably priced.

# HOUSE AND SENATE START QUICK WORK

## MILITIAMEN FROM ISLANDS

WAILUKU, HILO AND LAHAINA MEN ARRIVE FOR ENCAMPMENT TOMORROW.

The steamer Claudine was in appearance and in fact a military transport as she entered the channel short after 4 o'clock this morning from Maui and Hawaii. Persons down at the early hours to meet returning relatives or friends and the usual drove of cabbies at the liner were treated to an unusual sight. From peak to sternpost the railings of the vessel were crowded with soldiery, their dull khaki uniforms showing up grim and war-like in the early dawn. Aboard were Companies D, I and L, First Regiment, National Guard of Hawaii, and the Wailuku hospital corps arriving in for the annual encampment at Moanalua tomorrow.

First the cabin passengers, of which there were a goodly number, coming principally from Hilo and Kahului, landed. Then came the soldiers. They had boarded the vessel at the several ports by companies, but as they occupied shake-downs on deck no effort, except in a general way, was made to keep the commands together on the way over. Upon landing on the dock they were formed, given instructions as to time and place of assembling again, and then dismissed.

Company D, the bull-dog of the detachment, is from Hilo. This is the oldest of the country companies it showed up with 47 men, which is a good average considering the distance to be traveled and the difficulties experienced by citizen soldiery in leaving business for so long a time. Captain A. W. Fetter is in command, assisted by First Lieutenant J. D. Easton and Second Lieutenant H. H. Morehead. Fetter is an old Honolulu man and was at one time in command of Company A. Easton is one of the best shots in the Hawaiian Islands.

Coming on to Maui, the Claudine found Company I, of Wailuku, ready at Wailuku to embark. In this detachment there were 47 men and three officers. Captain W. E. Bal is in command. His lieutenants are: First Lieutenant John Kamaka and Second Lieutenant William K. Kane. The hospital corps came with his company. This consisted of a trained squad of fourteen men under Captain H. H. Dinegar, the well known Maui physician and surgeon.

From Lahaina came the "baby company" of the National Guard. This is Company L, Captain S. Kellinof. In this command are 54 men and, although new and some of them not fully equipped, they made a fine appearance upon leaving the steamer. The lieutenants are: First Lieutenant A. W. Searle and Second Lieutenant W. M. K. Kaulakini. Captain Kellinof is an educator of general and excellent reputation, and his officers are well known in business pursuits and are trained soldiers. Eleven members of the "baby company" did not receive their uniforms until this morning.

All of the companies, except the one from Lahaina, were dismissed this morning until 7 o'clock this evening, when they will assemble at the National Guard armory preparatory to marching to Moanalua where the camp has been pitched. The Hilo and Wailuku men started in early to see the town and to enjoy the day in a quiet manner, taking in all that is to be seen. The Lahaina men were detained until 11 o'clock, receiving and arranging their equipment, and were then turned loose for the day.

This addition of a hundred and fifty men will materially add to the showing of the National Guard in the big encampment, which will be fully underway tomorrow. Tents for all the volunteers were arranged today by the regulars from Fort Shafter, so that there will be little to do but "move in."

Fine Job Printing, Star Office.

## THE THIRD MESSAGE

ONE WITH APPROPRIATIONS FOR UNPAID BILLS COMING IN THIS AFTERNOON.

Governor Frear will send another message to the Legislature this afternoon, and another within a few days. He said at noon:

"I am preparing estimates for appropriations to submit to the Legislature, and will probably send down this afternoon those required for the unpaid bills of the preceding period and those required additional for the present biennial period.  
"Yes, there are still outstanding bills for the previous period. It always happens that some accounts come in too late, near the close of a period, to be handled at the legislative session held in that period."

## MUNICIPAL MANDAMUS

From 9:30 until 12 this morning the hearing of disputed facts in the mandamus suit of Charles Foster against City and County Treasurer Trent continued before Judge Robinson.

Witnesses on the stand were Assistant City and County Attorney Milverton, Road Overseer Cummins and Supervisor J. C. Quinn.

Wrangles over evidence were abundant. There is a large crowd of spectators.

MONEY ORDERED PAID.  
One of the matters settled by the Supreme Court decision on tax lien is connected with the Dreier vs. Ahana foreclosure suit. The commissioner of sale was ordered in Judge Robinson's decree to deposit \$212.65, the taxes due on the land sold, with Clerk Henry Smith to await the decision of the Supreme Court in the case of Assessor Wilder against W. T. Lucas. The decision having gone against the assessor, Judge Robinson now orders the said amount paid to R. H. Trent, trustee.

## HILONIAN IN TOMORROW

Castle & Cooke received a wireless message from the Hilonian this morning, stating positively that she would arrive here early tomorrow morning. The message was sent 8 o'clock last night. At that time all were well on board and the weather was fine. The vessel was a little more than four hundred miles away.

At the American-Hawaiian office they have received notice that the freighter Pleiades will arrive here on the morning of Wednesday, February 21. The Columbia, from Seattle and Tacoma, and the Arizonan, from San Francisco, will arrive here on the 28th.

## DON'T TAKE THE RISK.

When you have a bad cough or cold do not let it drag along until it becomes chronic or develops into an attack of pneumonia, but give it the attention it deserves and get rid of it. Take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and you are sure of prompt relief. For sale by all dealers. Benson, Smith & Co., Agents for Hawaii.

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# MANY BILLS ALREADY STARTED

Flags, National and Territorial, flew from all the Capitol staffs; the band played American and Hawaiian airs, the public crowded round, and dignitaries were never so dignified as when at 10 this morning the fifth Legislature opened. Senatorial and Representative attendance was complete, the work of organization went forward rapidly, smoothly and most creditably. Before eleven o'clock both houses were ready to transact the people's business and each house so notified the Governor who thereupon liberated his message, printed copies also being distributed. Before noon all committees, officers, rules and other ways and means and men had been announced, elected, appointed, contrived or adopted. Then bills and resolutions simply rolled in. Kahio was congratulated by the House on his work in Washington. The House went on record as deciding to hustle and to work for nothing in an extra session if such should be necessary. The House will meet every day at 9 a. m., instead of 10. The House has adopted 1907 rules permanently, subject to amendment; the Senate is about to formulate rules, so far proceeding under temporary rules. The House established a remarkable record, forming and starting a big bunch of business and most clearly announcing its intention to accomplish things, all in two hours. The Senate read the Governor's message in full, hence was handicapped for time to accomplish other things; the Upper House works with less hustle; it is deliberate. Altogether the House's morning work, to spectators and members, was a hip-hip-hurrah success and the music of the band and the waving of the flags must have meant more than show, for the fifth voyage of Hawaii's legislative ship of state has started most auspiciously.

## THE SENATE

Senator David Baker of Hawaii called the Senate to order and, at his request, Rev. Mr. Kalino offered prayer. The temporary chairman called for William Savidge to act as temporary clerk.

On motion of Coelho a committee on credentials was appointed, the chairman naming Coelho, Harvey and Quinn. A recess was taken to permit the committee to do its work.

There was no absentee among the membership of the Senate at the opening hour. This is the list:

Hawaii—John T. Brown (R.), Palmer P. Woods (D.), D. K. Baker (H. R.), R. H. Makekahu (H. R.).  
Maui—W. J. Coelho, S. E. Kalama, W. T. Robinson (all R.).  
Kauai—G. H. Fairchild, E. A. Knudsen (both R.).  
Oahu—C. F. Chillingworth (R.), E. W. Quinn (R.), W. O. Smith (R.), P. R. Harvey (D.), H. T. Moore (D.), C. J. McCarthy (D.).

In its report the committee on credentials designated Chillingworth, Smith, McCarthy, Makekahu, Woods, Coelho, Knudsen and Kalama as the holdover members and the others as all having been duly elected last November.

On motion of McCarthy the committee

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## THE HOUSE

STANDING COMMITTEES.

House of Representatives.  
Rules—Sheldon, Moanauhi, Kama, Kinney, Kawaakoa.  
Finance—Rice, Cohen, Shingle, Nakaleka, Makekahu.  
Agriculture, Forestry, Promotion and Immigration—Shingle, Huddy, Castro, Furtado, Kawaakoa.  
Education—Long, Carley, Correa, Alfonso, Like.  
Health and Police—Coney, Kalelopu, Nakaleka, Kamanouhi, Kawewehi.  
Judiciary—Douthitt, Sheldon, Long, Coney, Waiwaiolo.  
Military—Alfonso, Kanlio, Like, Hilo, Kealawala.  
Miscellaneous—Carley, Kanlio, Kama, Kawewehi, Nawahine.  
Accounts and Public Expenditures—Castro, Rice, Furtado, Kama, Kama, Public Lands and Internal Improvements—Kalelopu, Moanauhi, Douthitt, Cohen, Nawahine, Hilo.  
Printing—Correa, Kamanouhi, Makekahu, Kinney, Wawaole.

Ushered in with the stirring music of

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